



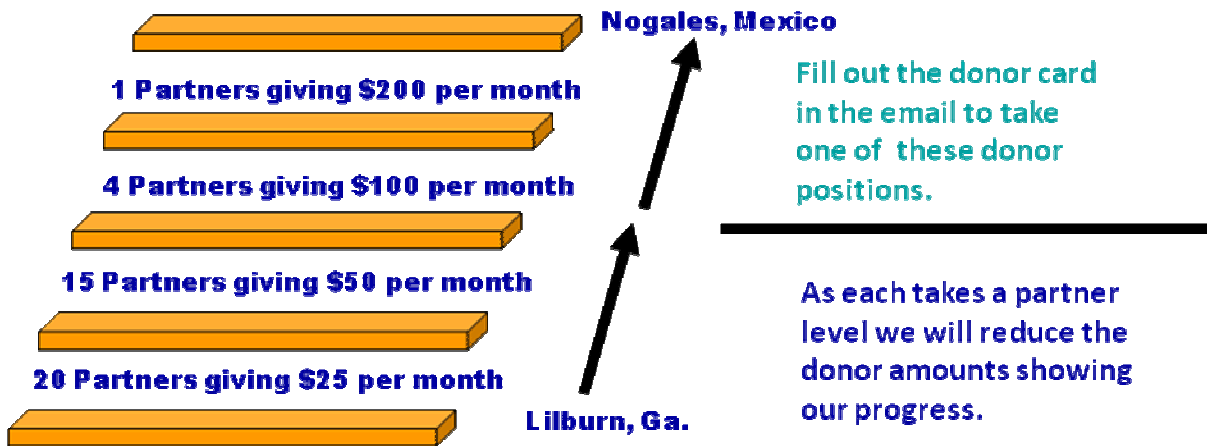
The church planting team looking over the city of Nogales, Mexico expecting the Lord to take the city for Himself. There are 2 large sets of housing complexes called fraccionamientos that we're targeting as well as the poor sections of the town.

We want to send a special thank you to all of you who have encouraged us during our journey to the border. We often struggle to keep going, but your prayers, gifts and e-mails are a tangible way of seeing God's hand and love for us every day. You are such a blessing to us! We count it a privilege to know and pray for each of you.

Since our last update, Rick has traveled to Arkansas, and Texas and both of us went to a missions conference in Kansas. We have met so many special people! In addition to all the travel, Sharon had surgery to remove skin cancer on her nose, and helped get her parents moved from their home in New Hampshire and settled in South Carolina where her mom is in an Alzheimer's care facility and her dad has an apartment nearby close to her sister. It has been a busy month!

We are so excited to be in the final phase of our journey to Nogales. We look forward to seeing who will join our team to get us to 100% ! Now is the time! We are praying that all our support will be pledged by the end of May, because we would like to move to Nogales at the beginning of June. Please consider how, by faith, you can be a part of bringing the gospel to the Mexicans on the border.

We are now at 78% of our support. Below is a chart showing the steps to get to Mexico..



Prayer Requests:

- We have our house up for sale! Pray for a quick sale.
- Pray as Rick calls churches and individuals for support that the Lord would bless with financial support.
- Praise for our support reaching 78%!
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